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"WOE TO HIM THAT BUILDETH A TOWN WITH BLOOD, AND STABLETH A CITY BY INIQUITY."

TURNPIKES AND DIRT ROADS.

It is admitted by all people that good roads are important essentials to the progress of communities of people. To guarantee to a man progress and prosperity in any sort of business enterprise every obstruction must be removed from the avenues through which trade may travel to him. If he erects his business house upon an island and neglects to bridge the water so the people may easily and comfortably come to him he may expect bankruptcy. Folks are not inclined to swim rivers and climb over mountains to buy sugar, coffee and calico, when the "trade can be made" on this side of the river, or at the foot of this side of the mountain, and that, too, in a very satisfactory manner.

It is hard for us to understand why business men are not thoroughly interested in the question of good roads.

Productive farms along miserably muddy and rocky byways are low-priced farms, and are usually the property of men who have neither the means nor the inclination to make bountiful crops. Goods roads, besides enhancing the value of farm lands, produce contentment and happiness among the people. When a man knows he can jog the old horse into town with never a twist of a wheel in a rut nor a balk on a rocky hill, he becomes pretty well satisfied with his lot in life, and has no desire to "sell out and leave."

But the people must remember that it takes money—lots of it—to keep roads in good condition.

Let us briefly look into the road question in Washington county.

The county assessment is \$4,000,000; tax rate 50 cents—25 cents for turnpikes and bridges, and 25 cents for the general fund. The Fiscal Court appropriates the full amount—\$10,000—for pikes and bridges; it is then some times necessary to draw on the general fund in order to meet indebtedness incurred over and above the appropriation. No given amount is designated by the law for dirt roads, but out of the general fund the Fiscal Court appropriates \$2,500 to be expended on these roads. Every cent of this money is economically used in working the dirt roads, but it does not begin to put them in more than a passable condition.

It will seem that with these appropriations made, and the money expended, the county has left \$7,500 with which to pay all other expenses. Out of this amount about \$2,000 is given to support the paupers of the county.

It must be very evident to all people who are acquainted with these conditions that it requires close economy and sound business judgment on the part of our county officials to make both ends meet.

In Washington county we have approximately 225 miles of pike and 250 miles of dirt road. With pikes in good condition it requires an annual expenditure of about \$150 to the mile to keep them up, hence it will seem that to keep Washington county pikes in good condition it will require \$33,750, or \$22,750 in excess of the annual appropriation of \$10,000 for pikes and bridges. Our dirt roads would then require our attention to the extent of something like \$20,000. In round numbers, let us say, that it will require an annual expenditure of \$50,000 to keep up the road system of the county, and about \$7,000 for general purposes—\$57,000 in all. We have \$20,000. Now, if some gentleman will come forward and tell us where to get the other \$37,000, we will guarantee that Washington county will make him a present of a new spring suit.

We are informed that the question is often asked: "Why does not the Fiscal Court appropriate more money for road purposes?" For the very simple reason that the Fiscal Court can not, under the law, make the appropriation larger.

In chapter 81, section 4, page 355 of the Acts of 1906, this language is found:

"Neither the fiscal court of any county, nor the common or general council of any city, nor the board of trustees of any town, shall expend any money in excess of the amount annually levied and collected for that year by such county, city or town, or levied, collected or appropriated for any special purpose; and the fiscal court of any county, and the common or general council of any city, and the board of trustees of any town, shall not expend, nor suffer, nor permit or authorize to be expended, any money or tax levied and collected for any one purpose to any other purpose than that specified in the order, resolution or ordinance under which the same is levied, imposed and collected. Any member of the fiscal court of any county, or of the common or general council of any city, or of the board of trustees of any town, who shall knowingly vote for any appropriation of money, or for the making of any contract in violation of this act, or any officer of the county, city or town who shall knowingly do any act to impose upon the county, city or town any pecuniary liability in excess of the authority in this act limited, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction, be punished by fine of not less than one hundred nor more than five hundred dollars, or imprisoned in the county jail not less than one month nor more than twelve months, or both so fined and imprisoned."

Comment is unnecessary. However, for the enlightenment of the public, we may add that the County Judge, the County Attorney and the Fiscal Court of Washington county would rather not go to jail at the present time, thank you.

THE BEEF TRUST.

The Louisville Evening Post calls for "another investigation of the Beef Trust." The Post says:

"At a time when almost all other articles of commerce are going down in price; when wages are being reduced; when thousands of families are depending with luxuries in order to curtail expenses the price of this necessity of life has been suddenly and arbitrarily advanced; nor is any explanation given for the increase."

Certainly, the Post is not disappointed that an explanation is not given by the trust for the increase in the price of meat. When highwaymen, in the "days of old" robbed the stage coach, no explanation was given.

Continuing the Post says:

"A higher charge is imposed for meat today than during the season of great prosperity three years ago. Labor is cheap; the farmers and the stockmen are anxious to sell; the railroads are in a hurry to ship away by those means; but, nevertheless, the Meat Trust increases the price to the consumer."

"The packing houses of Chicago have had ample time to recover from the exposures of several years ago. It is reasonable to suppose that much of their profits were swept away by those hideous discoveries, but they have had time to and claimed to have reformed every abuse. The demand for meat can hardly have failed to be appreciable extent, for families in this country must have meat and coal, even if they do without other things."

"The Evening Post" hopes that the poor people of this country will never reach the stage of many of the inhabitants of Southern Europe, where meat is considered a luxury not to be had over once a week at the best.

"How much the Meat Trust is responsible for the recent increase in the price of meat and the reasons therefor might well be made the subject of a department investigation. We fancy that this is a subject interesting fully as many people as even the railroad question."

"The exactions of the Meat Trust, the Coal Trust and the Oil Trust fall most heavily on the poor."

The "exactions" of every trust fall too heavily upon the poor. The wage earners of America are contributing their hard-earned dollars to the yawning coffers of the trust magnates, and the "little home" the toiler dreamed would some day be his, has vanished from his mind as a tiny ray of light in an acre of clouds.

Lawless bands may reign supreme for a period, but in the end law will triumph. Today the criminal may walk among clover blooms, and elate his black soul with God's sunlight and air, but tomorrow his flesh will be pricked by many thorns, and over a rough and miserable way he will be driven to prison by the lash of the law.

SUBSCRIBERS.

The postoffice department at Washington has recently made a ruling that no one shall be carried on the subscription list of a country newspaper who is in arrears one or more years. Therefore, it will be necessary for The Sun to revise its list from time to time, taking from the list names of persons who are behind twelve months or more. We don't want to take the name of any one from our list, but in this matter the United States Government has not consulted us; our Uncle Samuel has simply commanded, and he must be obeyed.

Look at the label on this paper; it will tell you whether or not the United States Government objects to your name being continued on our list.

Send us check today.

LOUISVILLE AND THE CONVENTION.

To take the Democratic State convention away from Louisville will hurt that city very little. It will give those Democrats who bolted Beckham little concern to see the convention held in another city, and the folks of the Falls City would pursue the even tenor of their ways, just as if nothing had ever "happened" to them. The only party to the transaction that will come out of the affair "mussed up" will be the Democratic party.

It is well known to all of us that the only reason for wanting to take the convention from Louisville is because somebody thinks it will spite somebody. If such a course would present the opportunity to politicians to cut the throats of their political enemies there would be some excuse—although illegitimate—for attempting to take the convention to another city. But to hold the convention elsewhere would not even give an unholy opportunity to one fellow to cut the throat of the other fellow. Therefore, the scheme looks very much like an outburst of childish anger. It is the weakest effort to retaliate that has ever come under our notice.

DOWN IN CALLOWAY.

The officers of the law down in Calloway county are doing more to put down lawlessness in Kentucky than a dozen Governors and the "King's Regiment" could do. They are not "cutting their tongues loose" and defying all creation from the housetops, neither are they standing guard over incendiary ashes, but they are looking for clues that will lead them to the guilty; they are trailing the tracks of the criminal to his den, and they are placing upon the evil-doer the pinions of the law.

The work of the Calloway county officers will have good effect throughout the State. Bands of night riders operating in other sections will at once conclude that the same thing may happen to them, and there is nothing that relieves the criminal of bravado quicker than the punishment of his partners in crime.

It is now settled that President Roosevelt, under no circumstances, will accept the Republican nomination for President. He has decided to go to Europe on a hunting expedition.

Gov. John A. Johnson is a mighty good fellow, he having carried the Republican State of Minnesota by a majority of 72,000. If he gets the Democratic nomination for President, we will at once conclude that he is the best



GOV. JOHN A. JOHNSON.

man in the United States, and we'll bet 30 cents no man in the whole country can shout louder or longer for "Gov. John" than we uns of the Springfield Sun.

A DILEMMA.

To be for Taft, or not to be for Taft, that is the question that some of the fellows of the g. o. p. are revolving around their mental apparatuses forty 'leven dozen times a day. Lost, in a wilderness of thought—afraid to step "this way or that way," lest they plunge headlong into political oblivion, many of our Republican fellow-citizens are crying out, from the depths of their bothered souls, for light—light that will lead them to "the trail of the victorious," where they are wont to follow with much noise and many leaps, in order to "guarantee to themselves" a bit of the pie, to be given to the faithful if the Republicans are successful next November. Let us insist that it is unnecessary to exert yourselves either "this, that or the other way;" what's going to happen next fall will be "bitter pills" to you and not "palatable pie."

Secretary Taft captured Louisville last Friday, and put it in his hand wagon. The fact that Senator Elect Bradley is opposing Taft in Kentucky in no wise lowers the big Secretary in the estimation of the honorable people of his party.

President Roosevelt wants Congress to authorize the building of four big battleships. We hope we may never need these monsters of the sea, but if we ever do need them, we most sincerely hope we may have them handy.

The man who would endeavor to aid a righteous cause by an unrighteous act is an enemy, and not a friend, to that cause. He is as a foolish man who prunes the roots of the tree, thinking the branches will become more stately.

Give Us Men.

Give us men! A time like this demands Great hearts, strong minds, true faith and willing hands.

Men whom the lust of office does not kill;

Men whom the spoils of office cannot buy;

Men who possess opinions and a will;

Men who have honors, men who will not let them go;

For while the rabble, with their thumb-worn creeds,

Their large professions and their little deeds,

Wrangle in selfish strife—lo! Freedom weeps,

Wrong rules the land and waiting justice sleeps.

—Oliver Wendell Holmes.

Flowers and Plants.

I will be in Springfield county court days with a nice lot of flowers and plants.

GEO. R. MATTINGLY.

Notice.

Parties who are yet holding their 1907 crop of tobacco are hereby notified that the Washington County Warehouse Co. is now ready to receive and would be glad if parties would bring tobacco in at once. C. W. STALLINGS.

SEEING SNAKES

AT LONG RUN

And Other Interesting Observations By Mr. M. D. L. Cocanougher.

After an absence of some eight weeks Bro. Johnnie Key returned home. He assisted Rev. C. K. Pike at Kelat, Harrison county, in a three weeks' meeting. Between twenty-five and thirty conversions and sanctifications. This is one of the most spiritual churches he knows of. He also assisted Rev. J. J. Dickie, pastor, and J. W. Carter, evangelist, of Lexington, Ky., in a three weeks' meeting at Perryville, Boyle county. But few conversions, one sanctification and several restored. He says people are hard to reach with the gospel just now. The people, to a great extent, are looking away from spiritual things because of the financial embarrassment and the unsettled condition of the country.

We recently made a trip up in the "West End," as Western Boyle is called. We were pleased to see that country in such a prosperous condition. Blue grass, well tilled fields, neat farm houses and pleasant surroundings met us on every turn, but the sawmill and lumbermen have gotten in their work. So many fine wood pastures in which stood stalwart oaks of many centuries have been cut away to meet commercial demands. Our friend, Mr. Will Elliott, in the last year has cut off different parties over one hundred thousand feet of oak timber at 10 cts per hundred. Western Boyle is practically stripped of timber. We took dinner with our friend, Mr. Edd White, who has a fine farm of two hundred acres all in grass. It had been twenty-four years since we had been in that home. Many changes have occurred in that time, Father Time having left his mark on the heads of that family. The father is bowed with the weight of years and seldom leaves his premises; all the children save two have married and left the home roof and gone out into the world to make homes of their own. Miss Bertha, a little tot then, has also followed suit. Her health failed and she is now in Hendersonville, N. C., where she went last July for lung trouble. Her health is considerably improved, and she has gained thirty pounds in weight. The husband and family, especially the mother, are looking forward with fond anticipation when the loved one will return again. Uncle Edd, as he is called, is of old Virginia stock. His father, John White, came from that State and settled in Garrard county, on Sugar creek, within three miles of Lancaster, where our friend was born. He came to Boyle county when about twenty years of age. He married Miss Sallie Bottoms, who had five children. She died September 12, 1859. He married Miss Lucinda Hilton. He has lived where he now lives for about sixty years, has been a life long Democrat, and for forty years a member of Beech Grove church and one of Boyle's best citizens. Boyle is not a tobacco county; we heard of only two beds, but the West End is Democratic, so while we are talking of "Night Riders," they are exercised over the conduct of their Representative, Mr. Lillard.

On coming into the front yard one day last week one of our neighbors saw that an unusual struggle had taken place. It soon dawned upon him that there had been a long, hard battle fought in the front yard, his wife and daughter arrayed against a large black snake that had taken refuge in a large rose bush. The battle ground did not look exactly like the work of "Night Riders," but resembled a map of Mercer county, after one of their worst raids. He told us that in this bloodless fight the following weapons were used: rocks, a spade and drill, two pailings, a stick of wood, an old musket barrel that had done service in the battle at Perryville, a hoe, mail, and finally as a last resort they fell back on woman's never failing weapon, hot water, which it is said she uses with good effect on stubborn husbands and perverse sons-in-law. So hastily and completely was the enemy routed that only a blue streak was seen as he disappeared through the grass. But my informant, who is a good judge of such things, believes the enemy was not engaged at close quarters, but was fought at a safe distance say thirty or forty feet. When we remember that the daughters of Mother Eve have not forgotten how

the devil in the form of a serpent struck his deadly fangs into her heart, bringing upon her descendants so much misery and woe, and a blight upon a fair earth, we need not be astonished at the eternal warfare that has been waged between them. He said this bunch of roses was grubbed up that very evening.

An old fruit grower says peaches are nearly all killed, apples are not hurt, cherries, except the May variety, are all right, but it is too early to tell about pears. Excepting last year he never knew grapes to be killed by the freeze as they come on the new growth. He also has a small apple tree that does not put out leaves until the first of June.

It will be of interest to the many friends of Mr. S. D. Campbell to know that on Monday of this week he began a two months school at Martin's school house in West Boyle. While teaching he will make his home with Mr. Alford Campbell at Perryville.

We recently heard from our good friend, Mr. Harve Lawson, but sorry to say he has had the grip, from which he is slowly recovering. He is still living in Rockwall, Texas, where he is happy and contented.

Probably not many readers of the Sun know that the Deep Creek correspondent is a sweet girl graduate from the deaf and dumb asylum of Danville, Ky., a cousin of ours, the relationship of which we are proud.

FIFTEEN MEN

Held To Grand Jury To Answer Charge of Being Night Riders.

Murray, Ky., April 11.—The wheels of law moved swiftly in County Judge Wells' court here to-day, and as a result fifteen of the alleged "night riders" arrested during the past few days were held to the grand jury on bonds ranging from \$1,000 to \$2,000, and some of the most remarkable testimony ever introduced in a Kentucky court will be presented to the grand jury which will be impaneled by Circuit Judge Thomas P. Cook next Monday morning.

The scenes in connection with the examining trials of the men were most dramatic and it was the first time since the tobacco war first started in the State, almost two years ago, that victims of the night raids have dared to come into open court and tell of the outrages suffered at the hands of the "night riders."

The trials began after both the Commonwealth and defense announced ready at 9 o'clock this morning in the case against Robert Duncan. On the witness stand during the day young men and old men, some past the threescore and ten allotment, told of the brutal treatment administered to them during the dead hours of the night by the men on trial, all of whom were recognized by one or more of the witnesses and pointed out in the densely-crowded courtroom.

PAINFULLY HURT.

Dr. Barnett, of Mackville, Hurt On a Street Car in Louisville Monday Night.

The following is from Tuesday's Louisville Times:

Dr. W. T. Barnett, one of the best known physicians of Washington county, was seriously injured last night at 6 o'clock, when he was thrown with great force against the iron rod on the rear of a street car. He boarded a Brook street car to go to the Gray street Infirmary. When the car reached the curve at Fourth avenue and Chestnut street it is said that it turned with such force as to throw Dr. Barnett against the rod at the rear of the platform. He sank to the platform and would have fallen from the car had not several passengers grabbed him. He was taken to the Gray street Infirmary in a semi-conscious condition, where he improved enough to allow his being removed to the Fifth avenue Hotel.

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A test of breeding qualities of a horse is the sale and show ring. As to the sale ring he sired the highest priced lot of colts ever sold in Washington county. As to the show ring, not one of his colts of four seasons have ever been defeated by the colts of any horse owned or farmed in county. They won every tie, blue and red (eight in all) given by the Washington County Fair Association at our last fair. His yearlings won six of the eight ribbons tied in full rings. He sired the winning two-year-old and the 2nd premium three-year-old harness mares in rings of seven entries; while he was shown only twice in saddle and harness rings of eight entries and won easily. Mr. Allen who was selected by the Fair Company, and considered a fair and impartial Judge said his colts of eighteen entries had more style and finish than any lot of colts he ever saw in one ring. A comparison of his rings of colts to those of other horses at our own Fair and other County and State Fairs, I ask the breeders to please notice and consider before breeding elsewhere. He not only produces sellers at weanlings, but sellers and show horses as they advance in age. I again solicit the patronage of all owners of good mares in this and adjoining counties.

This horse will make the present season at my place near Springfield at

\$20 TO INSURE A LIVING COLT.

B. B. LEACHMAN

R. F. D. No. 3.

Springfield, Kentucky.

New Scheme.

Danville, Ky., April 6.—A scheme to destroy the night riders concocted by the citizens of Parksville, a tobacco district, seven miles from here, leaked out today through W. S. Aldridge, justice of the peace in that district. Tobacco growers in that locality have been threatened and warned to tear up the plant beds, but many of the growers having no other means of support are determined to grow a crop. In order to combat with night riders a secret meeting was held and plans for protection discussed and adopted. Charges of dynamite have been placed along all roads, to which are attached wires connected with electric batteries. In case night riders appear signals are to be given and by the pressure upon buttons the charges will be exploded. Night watches will be placed at convenient points and when the riders are in the vicinity of the explosive they will be blown up. The charges are so arranged that they cannot be exploded except by pressure on the respective buttons. Nobody but the promoters of the scheme know the location of the charges. The project of protection has elicited wide interest and doubtless the same plan will be placed into operation throughout the state.



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THE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT LAW.

The following letter of instruction has been sent out by the Superintendent of Public Instruction:

Frankfort, March 25, 1908.—I hand school officers herewith a copy of the full text of House Bill No. 141, which passed both branches of the General Assembly and was approved by the Governor March 24, 1908. The law goes into effect June 15, 1908. The county is to be divided into Educational Divisions before July 15, 1908; each school sub-district elects one trustee on the first Saturday in August; the Division Boards organize before August 31, 1908; the first election of teachers under this law is held the last Saturday in June, 1909; the first meeting of the County Board of Education is held the first Saturday in September, 1908. It will be seen that the school session of 1908-9 will not be affected by the new law. A bulletin will shortly be issued giving detailed information and suggestions concerning the operation of this law.

J. G. CRABBE, Superintendent of Public Instruction. The new law practically creates a new system, by the provisions for the management and maintenance of the county schools. It will be seen that the present board of three trustees will give way to a one trustee plan for each school district. Also under the law it is possible to have one or more high schools in each county, in which each pupil in the county may attend free of cost for tuition.

Some of the most important sections, and parts of sections that are of interest at this time, are quoted herewith:

Sec. 2. That within thirty days after this act goes into effect the county superintendent of schools, the county judge and the county attorney in each county of the Commonwealth shall meet at the courthouse of their respective counties, upon the call of the county superintendent of schools, and shall divide each county school district, as provided for in section 1, into educational divisions containing as nearly as possible an equal number of children of school age, including both white and colored children, as shown by the last census of school children, and in each county the said officers may make, as may seem expedient, either four, six or eight of such educational divisions and in fixing the boundaries of said educational divisions they shall be made to follow, as nearly as practicable, the boundaries of existing school districts for white children. They shall have the power to change the boundaries of educational divisions whenever such change becomes necessary. The county judge, county superintendent of schools and county attorney shall then sub-divide each of the said educational divisions into school sub-districts following as nearly as practicable the boundaries of existing school district for white children.

Sec. 3. On the first Saturday in August, after the passage of this act, an election shall be held at the school building in each school sub-district of this Commonwealth, from the hours of one until five o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of electing one trustee for each school sub-district, as fixed by section 2 of this act. The trustees then elected shall hold their offices, one-half for one year and one-half for two years, as shall be determined by lot at the first meeting of the division board, as provided for in section 4 of this act.

Sec. 4. The county superintendent of schools shall meet the trustees so elected from the various school sub-districts of each educational division at some point to be designated by him within thirty days after the date of their election, for the purpose of organizing the trustees so elected into a division board of school trustees by choosing one of said trustees to be chairman and one to be secretary of said division board.

The county superintendent of schools shall be a member of such division board of his county, but shall only vote upon any matter in case of a tie vote, and then he shall cast the deciding vote.

Sec. 5. It shall be the duty of the trustee in each school sub-district, to personally supervise the school or schools in his sub-district, and to report the needs thereof to the division board of his educational division at its regular meeting, together with such recommendations as he may deem necessary for the best interest of said school or schools. All such reports and recommendations shall be in writing. The division board shall refer such reports to the county board with its recommendations on same.

The trustee of each school sub-district shall, in the month of April of each year, make and return to the county superintendent a complete census of the children of school age residing in his district, and for the performance of all his duties he shall be allowed and paid the sum of five cents per pupil child reported in such census.

Sec. 6. It shall be the duty of the division board of trustees in each educational division to elect one or more teachers for each school in such educational division as hereinafter provided. A majority of the members of such division board shall be necessary to the

election of any teacher for service in any sub-district. All applications for positions in said schools shall be filed with the secretary of the division board of the educational division in which a school position is sought. The division board in each educational division shall meet for the consideration of applications and the election of teachers on the last Saturday in June following the election of trustees under this act, and shall meet for the same purpose on the last Saturday in June of each year thereafter. Said educational division board may meet on the last Saturday of July and August in each year for the purpose of filling any vacancies which may exist.

Teachers shall be elected for one school year, but may be removed by the division board of the educational division in which they are employed, at any time, subject to the approval of the county superintendent for incompetency, neglect of duty or immoral conduct.

Contracts for the service of all teachers shall be in writing, signed in duplicate by the teacher and by the chairman and secretary of the division board of the division in which the teacher is employed.

Sec. 7. The chairman of the several educational division boards in each county, together with the county superintendent of schools, who shall be chairman ex-officio, shall constitute the county board of education.

Sec. 8. Within two years after the passage and approval of this act, there shall be established by the county board of education of each county one or more county high schools. The first county high school to be established in the county shall be located at the county seat provided there is not already existing in the county seat a high school of the required grade. The county high schools of this Commonwealth shall be of the first, second and third class. A first class high school shall maintain a four years course of study, which shall be prepared by the State Board of Education. High schools of the second class shall maintain a course of three years, identical with the first three years of the first class high school. High schools of the third class shall maintain a course of two years identical with the first two years of the first class high school.

Sec. 10. The county board of education shall have full power, when necessary, to lay off or establish new school sub-districts, or to change the boundaries of those already established.

Sec. 14. When county high schools shall be established, as provided in this act, it shall be the duty of the county board of education to employ and fix the salaries of said teachers necessary to the efficient conduct of said high school and prescribe the course of study to be pursued, but said course of study shall not be below the standard fixed by the State Board of Education as provided in Section 7.

Another Paper For Lebanon.

Marion Falcon: The Leader Publishing and Printing Co., of Lebanon, Ky., filed articles of incorporation in the county clerk's office Monday, and the prospectus which has been issued states that the paper, which is to be issued about May 1st, will be "a conservative Republican weekly newspaper" edited by Mr. C. A. Johnston, with Mr. R. C. Blanford as associate editor. The company is incorporated with a capital of \$2,500. We understand that a location for the plant will be in the room under the opera house.

EXPLAINED FULLY.



Mr. Squiggs—He made his money in automobiles and football.
Miss De Kolley—He doesn't look like a sporting man.
Mr. Squiggs—No; he's a doctor.
Chicago Daily News.

Will Move to Lebanon.

Marion Falcon: Mr. Herman Schmerk has many friends in this city, where he formerly lived, who will be pleased to learn that he has accepted a position with Sparrow & Scott, as baker, and will move his family here.

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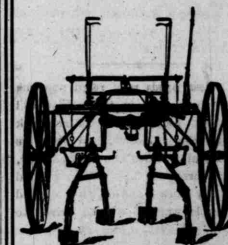
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Hey, Little Lad.

Hey, little lad, with your bonnie blue eyes,
Come with your laughter—we'll dream of the skies
That are waiting for us in the Land of No Care,
So come to this heart with that curling gold hair.
Come, and we'll float on the beautiful sea
In the Dream Ship that's waiting for you and for me!

Hey, little lad, with the wee wearied feet—
Up in these arms! My, those kisses are sweet!
Come and I'll tell you a story or two
That will make heavy eyelids fall over the blue
One little arm round my neck and we'll float
On the River of Sleep in the little Dream Boat!

Hey, little lad, but how heavy you've grown—
You've slipped to your dreaming and left me alone!
But I know that the skies in your dreams are as fair
As the blue of your eyes and the gold of your hair.
And O, little lad, in your garments of white,
Your dreaming, I wish I might know it—
—good night!
—Will F. Griffin in Milwaukee Sentinel.



HON. ALBERT B. CUMMINS,
Governor of Iowa.

Tough Luck.

Harrodsburg Herald: Mr. J. J. Isham, of near Mackville, was at the Herald office last Friday. He says he is playing in pretty tough luck. He had concluded to plant eight acres of tobacco and had his tobacco bed planted when, one night last week, some son-of-a-gun scraped it good and strong. When asked if he would still insist on raising a crop he said he would not—that if the people did not want him to raise tobacco he would be governed by their wishes in these days of panic and night-riders. A day or two before that, while he and his family were away from home, some one broke into his house and carried off nine gallons of lard, two sides of bacon, a ham and a shoulder, twenty-five pounds of granulated sugar, a new pair of \$3.50 patent leather shoes and \$1 worth of dried peaches he had brought home that morning. These things were taken in broad day-light, and in order to get all of this stuff away it was evidently necessary for the thieves to have used a wagon, but he was unable to find any trace of a wagon having been about the premises, and diligent inquiry has not enabled him to find out from any of his neighbors that a wagon had been seen about his place or on the road in the vicinity. About three months ago some one stole twenty-three of his geese and cut up and ruined a brand-new buggy for him. He says if he has an enemy in the world he does not know it, and he requested us to announce for him that he would pay \$25 for the arrest and conviction of the thieves that robbed his house, although he wanted it distinctly understood that this reward is not for the person or persons who scraped his tobacco beds, as he doesn't want to know anything about that.

A Little Child Laughed.

A little child laughed—and the sun came out.
A little child laughed—glory echoed his shout.
The birds caught the wonder and carried it far
In the song that they sang to the clouds and the star.

A little child laughed—and the shadows and mist
By the beams of love's beautiful sunshine were kissed.
A little child laughed—and our burden and care
Fell away as our sorrows fall away after prayer.

Worked Wonders.

Mrs. C. P. Wiggins, Lexington, Ky., says: "I gave my fowl Bourbon Poultry Care when they were sick and it certainly worked wonders." Sold by all druggists.

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40 inch Serge, worth 65c.....	.50
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Persian Lawn, worth 50c, for.....	35c
Embroidered Swisses, worth 75c, for.....	50c
48 inch Swiss Batiste, worth 75c, for.....	50c
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"Warned."

LaRue Herald: "Night Riders" paid Hodgenville a visit a few nights ago and left a note tacked to a post warning several of those who have been engaged in bringing whisky into Hodgenville from New Haven to desist from their pernicious practice. The note was very badly constructed, but served to convey in no uncertain language that

the practice, engaged in mostly by the negroes of the town, of running what is termed a "bear wagon," back and forth from Hodgenville to New Haven, supplying whisky to the thirsty, must be stopped. The substance of the note is to the effect that on and after April 15 any one caught operating a "bear wagon" from this place to New Haven will be waited upon between Hodgenville and the foot of Muldraugh's hill and summarily dealt with and that the

person so caught will, after the "night riders" have done with him, have fulfilled all the requirements necessary to make him a bona fide resident of a sink hole or other undesirable resting place. Persons are also warned not to permit their conveyances to be used for this purpose under penalty of severe punishment.

Some of those who have been operating the "bear wagon" are inclined to treat the matter lightly and whether

it was the work of a joker or sincere proclamation of some determined citizens who have become tired of this open practice, is not known, but it can be stated definitely that the people living on the road from Hodgenville to New Haven, as well as the citizens of Hodgenville, have expressed themselves very freely against this traffic in whisky and would raise no objection should stringent means be taken to put an end to it.

American Woman in German Eyes. American girls, whether born or merely brought up in America, evidence the same independence of judgment and the same complete self-reliance. It is hard to say whether this is the result of the education in the public schools and colleges or in their freedom from that condition of legal and social subservience to which the gentler sex is doomed in older countries.—Max von Brandt in Berlin Deutsche Revue.

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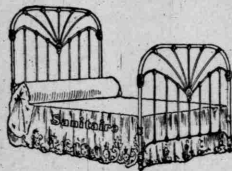
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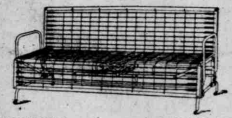
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ANNOUNCEMENT.

FOR CONGRESS.—We are authorized to announce the Hon. Ben Johnson, of Nelson county, as a candidate for re-election to Congress from the Fourth Congressional District, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce A. C. Kimball as a candidate for the nomination for Sheriff of Washington county, subject to the action of the Democratic party. Deputies: Richard Bobbitt, Sam D. Campbell, Will Merritt Sanders and Hubert Virgin.

MT. ZION.

Quarterly meeting was held at Mt. Zion Saturday and Sunday. Rev. Derrin presided over the communion and preached some excellent sermons.

Mrs. Chas. Williams and sister, Mrs. Wilma McKee, were in Springfield Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Cokendolpher and daughter attended Quarterly meeting here Sunday and were guests of Mrs. Kate Williams.

Miss Blanche Bonta is visiting her sister and other relatives in Lexington. Mr. Will Merritt, wife and children were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hays Sunday.

Mr. Frank Arnold and wife visited the latter's mother on Friday.

Mrs. Jas. Hays and sister were in Springfield Thursday and Friday.

Miss Margie Bonta returned from a visit to her sister in Springfield last week.

Miss Sue Anna Hays, who attends the Springfield High School, spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

WILLISBURG.

Thomas Royalty and Miss Kate Vandarsdale spent Monday at the home of J. W. Shirley.

Miss Oora Trent is in Louisville. Miss Tina Reed is spending this week with relatives at this place.

Misses Elizabeth and Blanche Shirley were in Springfield Tuesday of last week.

Bro. Cole delivered quite interesting sermons at this place Sunday morning and night. He is our pastor for this year and we hope everyone will come out to hear him.

Mrs. Susan A. Merritt has returned home, after spending a few weeks with her sister in Bardstown.

Miss Cora Trent left last week for Nashville, Tenn., where she will engage in business.

Everybody is invited to attend the Easter supper to be given by the "Royal Neighbors" on Saturday night, April 18. Come, boys, and bring your girl, a prize cake will be given the prettiest girl and pie to the ugliest man.

Miss Hester Noel is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Ferrell, of this place. Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Hyatt are in Louisville this week.

Mr. Lawrence Walker and wife and Miss Belle Birch, of Mackville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Wells Sunday.

Mr. W. S. Y. Goodlett and wife and Mr. T. J. Trent and wife, of Polin, attended church here Sunday morning and night.

Mrs. W. T. Wells and Mrs. J. M. Brown are visiting in Lawrenceburg this week.

We are sorry to report Dr. Sutherland no better at this writing.

Mr. Gabe W. Clark spent Sunday with his mother at Fairview.

Mr. Oscar Colvin, of Cornishville, visited his parents here Saturday and Sunday.

HILLSBORO.

We have had some very rainy weather the last few weeks and we hope this coming week, will be given to the farmer to till the soil.

The farmers are all behind with their work on account of so much rain.

Mr. Tom Settle is very low with pneumonia, but is reported some better at this writing.

Mr. Jesse Thomas purchased a mule of Gabe Shewmaker, price \$125.

J. A. Coulter sold to J. P. Willett a bay mare, price \$150.

A. S. Hines bought a bay mare of J. D. Sutherland, price \$75.

Mr. D. Bishop spent a few days with E. L. Pariah last week.

A. S. Hines bought a bunch of hogs of Richard Perkins for \$23 and sold a bunch to A. L. Litsey for \$42.50 and

also a veal calf for \$10.

Lee Settles purchased a nice heifer of J. A. Coulter, price \$35.

Bob Montgomery drove 53 head of hogs from this community Monday, which he purchased of different parties. Albert Hines and wife dined at the home of Will Smith, near Springfield, Thursday.

Rev. Sutherland has returned home, after a visit to his son in LaTue county.

Tom Prather, who has been confined to his bed with pneumonia, is reported much better.

L. M. Clark was in Willisburg Monday on business.

Felix Noel and son were in Springfield Saturday.

Mr. Sam Settle and son, of Lebanon, spent several days last week with J. H. Settle and family.

A. L. Litsey purchased 100 barrels of corn at \$3.30 per barrel.

A large crowd attended the law and order league at Mackville Saturday night, where they received an invitation to join with them and make peace in their law-abiding county.

MAYS CREEK.

We are having some nice weather at this time.

Mays Creek has been higher than it has been for ten years. It washed away a lot of fencing.

The farmers are mightily behind with their work.

Tommie Settles is very ill with pneumonia.

Everybody interested in Sunday schools is invited to be at Hillsboro church the third Sunday evening at 3 o'clock for the purpose of organizing a Sunday school at that place. Come, let's take hold of this good work and by the help of God have a Sunday school that will be a credit to the old Hillsboro neighborhood.

We invite any minister who has a spare Sunday evening to come and preach for us at the church.

There is not very much sickness on the Creek at this writing.

Mr. Sam Settle and son, Frank, visited friends on the Creek Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Bessie White is visiting her sisters, Mrs. Lula and Lizzie Simms, on the Reed Ridge, this week.

Local Option Elections.

Local option elections were held in 1,150 townships in Illinois this week. These elections included 84 counties.

The result was that 22 counties voted to become absolutely dry. These, added to the nine counties already dry, makes 31 dry counties out of the 102 counties in the State. It is estimated that between 1,200 and 1,500 saloons were voted out by the election this week.

Boner-Peters.

Miss Alta Boner and Mr. J. B. Peters were married in the Methodist parsonage at Burgin this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Rev. Ross performing the ceremony.

The announcement a few days ago of the approaching marriage came as a pleasant surprise to Mr. Peters' many friends in this county, and since that time he has received congratulations from all sides.

The bride resided at Bryantsville, in Garrard county, and is one of the most popular ladies that ever resided in that section. She was postmistress at Bryantsville and while serving the public in that capacity she made many friends and admirers.

Mr. Peters is a well known banker and farmer of Mackville. He has hundreds of friends in Washington and adjoining counties who extend to him congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. Peters will reside at Mackville.

Death of Mrs. Thompson.

Mrs. John Thompson died at her home at this place last night at 10 o'clock of asthma and heart trouble, from which she had been a sufferer for many years, although she had been confined to her bed for but two weeks. Mrs. Thompson was about seventy years old and was a consistent and faithful member of the Catholic church. Funeral services will be conducted by Rev. Father Hennessey tomorrow morning, and interment will occur in St. Dominic's cemetery. The deceased was a devout Christian, charitable and kind, and was a kind and accommodating neighbor.

She is survived by her husband, Mr. John H. Thompson, and by six children. She also leaves a sister, Mrs. C. A. Wright, of this place, and a brother, Mr. Robt. Walker, of Greensburg.

Condolence is extended to the bereaved ones.

Barn Burned.

A large stock and tobacco barn belonging to Lee Lawrence, of the Gravel Switch neighborhood in Marion county, was destroyed by fire Thursday night. The Sun is informed that Mr. Lawrence had been suspecting some one of stealing corn from him, and was watching for the thieves. At a late hour some parties were seen approaching the barn. They were fired upon, and lost no time in retreating. Mr. Lawrence then went to the barn to keep up the watch until daylight, but he fell asleep. When he awoke the barn was on fire, and was under such headway that it was impossible to extinguish the flames. While Mr. Lawrence has no positive proof that the sneak thieves came back and set fire to the barn, circumstances strongly indicate that they did.

Killed by Lightning.

Miss Bettie Cravcroft received a telegram announcing that Mr. E. A. Richards, of Sherman, Texas, had been killed by lightning. Mr. Richards married Miss Alma Cravcroft, a former resident of this place.

Fine Horse Dead.

Black Jack, the trotting horse of Mr. L. D. Baker's, died yesterday. The horse was very valuable, and the loss falls heavy upon Mr. Baker.

Base Ball.

On Saturday last, April 11, an exciting base ball game was played on the St. Mary's ball ground between the High School Blues, of Springfield, and St. Mary's Juniors. The score was 9 to 4 in favor of the High School Blues. 2 to 1, in favor of Springfield, was made in the first inning and stood until the fifth inning, when "twirler" Price, of St. Mary's, began to allow hits. Battery for Springfield, Medley and Simms, for St. Mary's, Price and Relling. This is the first game that has been taken from the St. Mary's Juniors for some time.

Operation for Appendicitis.

Bardstown Standard: Mr. J. Robert Crume, the druggist, was operated on for appendicitis in Louisville at St. Joseph's infirmary Friday afternoon at one o'clock. The operation was successfully performed by Dr. Frank, assisted by Dr. B. E. Gore, Bardstown, and Ernest Crume, Fredericktown. Mr. Crume is doing nicely and is improving, and his many friends hope for his speedy recovery. Mr. Crume was in the city and in attendance during the operation.

Closing Out At Cost

In order to Close out my stock of Groceries, Etc. I have Cut Prices on every article in my house. Look over the list below and let us save you money:

N. O. Molasses reduced from 60c to.....35c	3 Cakes Long Tom Soap.....10c
2 5c sticks Wiggly Stick Blue.....5c	3 Cakes Sunny Monday Soap.....10c
Prunes.....7c lb	3 Cakes Fairy Soap.....10c
Navy Beans.....5c lb	3 Cakes Glycerine Tar Soap.....10c
Pure Pepper.....20c lb	Sweet Pickles.....5c dozen
1-2 lb. Can Dried Beef for.....10c	1 lb Black Tea for.....30c
2 Cans Red Seal Lye.....15c	3 5c packages Dunham Coconut for.....10c
3 Cakes German Family Soap.....10c	3 Boxes Wash Powder.....10c
	1 lb Box Seeded Raisins.....10c

T. Irvine McElroy.

First Annual Meeting.

The following is from the Courier-Journal of Monday:

The Kentucky Hotel Association will hold its first annual meeting at Lexington next Thursday and Friday and the members have been notified that they will be treated royally by the people of the Blue Grass City. The arrangements for the meeting were made by W. D. Claybrooke, of Springfield, who is secretary of the association. Mr. Claybrooke was in Louisville yesterday en route home from Lexington. He said the Association is in fine shape and now has a membership of seventy-five hotels. All the hotels of Louisville are members of the association.

The association was organized for the purpose of advancing the hotel business and for protection against people who are going about over the country, not only beating their hotel bills, but passing worthless checks. Mr. Claybrooke said that during the past year only thirteen men beat their bills with hotels belonging to the association, and seven of these bills were afterwards collected by the association.

Death of Mrs. Riley.

Mrs. Mary Riley, one of the best known and most loved women of the Willisburg section, died at her home on March 23, aged seventy-five years. The deceased was a devout member of the Baptist church, having united with that body when she was eighteen years old. During all the years following she lived a consistent Christian. She was charitable and kind toward all, and was ever ready to assist those who were in need. Mrs. Riley reared thirteen children—eleven of her own and two grand-children. She was a loving and kind mother and will be greatly missed by the children who survive her. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Sims, and the body was interred in the beautiful little cemetery at Willisburg.

A FRIEND.

Administrator's Sale.

All person's having claims against the estate of G. W. Lambert, deceased, will present same to me properly proven on or before May 1, 1908, or to T. Scott Mayes at his office in Springfield, Ky. COSBY CATLETT, Administrator of G. W. Lambert, Mackville, Ky., Rt. 1.

Ice Cream Supper at Blincoe.

On Tuesday, April 21st, the young ladies and gentlemen of Holy Rosary congregation at Manton will give a delightful ice cream supper and euchre party at Blincoe, Ky., for the benefit of Holy Rosary church. Refreshments of all kinds will be served and the euchre party will begin at 4 p. m. A most delightful evening is promised to all who attend. In case of bad weather will be postponed to Saturday, Apr. 25.

Miss Johnson Ill.

Miss Nancy Johnson, daughter of Congressman Ben Johnson, has been seriously ill of appendicitis, in Washington City. Her condition is now much improved, and it is thought she will recover without an operation.

Notice.

The firm of M. H. Jones & Co. has gone into liquidation and it is necessary to wind up all the business of the firm. Parties to whom the firm is indebted, and parties indebted to the firm, are requested to call at once for settlement. Apr. 22. M. H. JONES & Co.

FENWICK.

Mrs. James Lanham was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Graves, of the Ridge, the first of last week.

Mr. Clarence Graves was at Bear Wallow Sunday.

Born, to the wife of Mr. R. E. Shewmaker, a fine boy.

Messrs. John Kelly and Harry James, of this place, were at Simmatown, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. J. E. Graves and Mrs. J. W. Barker were in Springfield last Saturday on business.

Notice.

The undersigned firm having dissolved partnership respectfully request all parties indebted to us to call and settle without delay. P. G. McElroy will have charge of the books for 30 days and can be found at Shultz & Riedel's. Respectfully, SHULTZ & McELROY.

Had To Be Drunched.

T. F. Gannon, Avon, Ky., says: "I cured my hogs of a very bad case of cholera with Bourdon Hogs Cholera Remedy. Several of these hogs could not eat and I had to drench them with the medicine." Sold by all druggists.

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The April Birth Stone.

She, who from April dates her years,
Diamonds should wear, lest bitter tears,
For vain repentance flow; this stone,
Emblem of innocence is known.

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Local News Notes.

Easter services at the Methodist church next Sunday. Preaching by Rev. Lyon. All are invited to attend.

Judge I. H. Thurman and Prof. George Colvin will address the people of Texas next Saturday. Everybody invited.

COURT DAY DINNER.—The ladies of the Maud Christian church will give a Court day dinner in Springfield May 25 for the benefit of the church.

Chas. Boswell has just returned from the Green river country with a nice lot of about 40 head of young cattle for C. T. Boswell & Co.

Insure in the Farmers Home Insurance Company, the only company that pays its losses in full. J. N. Wells, General Mgr., Junction City, Ky.

FOR SALE.—One Stanhope runabout and one runabout. They are nearly new, rubber tires and in perfect order. Also light set of double harness. G. W. LYON.

The Campbellville Manufacturing Company has an announcement in this issue of The Sun that will be of interest to the farmers of the county. Read it.

Mrs. Williams will conduct an Easter sale of hats in her handsome new store room next Saturday. You are invited to call to see the display, which, you are assured, will surpass any display of Easter styles ever seen in Springfield.

NOTICE.—Parties having claims against J. D. Peterson, assigned, will present same to the undersigned, properly proven, and those indebted to the said Peterson will please call and pay Mrs. Peterson at Texas or the undersigned. Notes and accounts must be paid. W. D. Claybrooke, Assignee of J. D. Peterson.

FINE MILLINERY.—A special invitation is again extended to the Ladies of Springfield to call and inspect my large line of millinery. The hats now on display are pronounced by all who have seen them the handsomest they have ever seen in this city. Come in and let me show them to you.

MISS WILLIE KNOTT.

FOR SHERIFF.—In this issue of The Sun will be found the announcement of Mr. A. C. Kimball as a candidate for the nomination for Sheriff, subject to the action of the Democratic party. The gentlemen who will make the race with him as deputies are Messrs. Rich and Bobbitt, Sam D. Campbell, Will Merritt Sanders and Hubert Virgin. These gentlemen are all well known, and have long been recognized as loyal Democrats, ever ready to contribute to the success of their party. Mr. Kimball, the head of the ticket, is known to nearly every man in the county. For many years he has been one of the leaders in the Democratic party in this county, and has served his party well. He asks that his claims be given consideration by all Democrats.

The Washington County Medical Society met in its room in the court house Monday, April 13, at 10:30 a. m. The Doctors present were: W. W. Ray, M. W. Hyatt, J. C. Mudd, J. N. Shehan, S. J. Smock, J. M. Spaulding, Dr. Smock read a paper on measles, and presented a clinical case. The next meeting will be held May 11.

JENSONTON.

It has been some time since I have written to The Sun. However, I can not say that our town has not been well represented, another correspondent having sent in quite a number of interesting letters.

Miss Bettie Elliott, who has been very sick, is getting along nicely. Prayer meeting at this place Thursday night was well attended. The next meeting will be held at Mr. Sy Lawrence's and will be conducted by Mr. Charlie Dragan.

Mr. B. L. Cocanougher and family spent a few days last week with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Arnold.

Miss Sadie Harmon, who has been ill for some time, is no better. Miss Georgia Cocanougher spent Saturday night and Sunday with her brother, Mr. Charlie Cocanougher, near Enido.

Mrs. Lizzie Campbell, of Springfield, passed through here Monday enroute to Boyle county to visit relatives.

We are sorry to learn that Miss Lena Milburn is very ill with pneumonia.

Mr. Raymond Edwards and Miss Lolla Powers were married at Rev. R. L. Purdon's on last Wednesday, April 8. The groom is a son of Mr. J. W. Edwards and is a merchant at this place. The bride is a daughter of Mrs. Nannie Powers, of the Pleasant Hill neighborhood, and is an attractive young woman. They left Thursday for Louisville, where they spent several days. We extend to them congratulations.

Miss Nellie McGill is at home from school at St. Catherine to spend Easter.

Mr. Herman Schmenk, of Lebanon, spent Sunday with his family at this place.

Mrs. Lizzie Campbell is the guest of friends and relatives in Boyle county.

Messrs. Lynn Bush, Harry Shultz, Joe McClasky, Thomas Colvin, Wallace Rogers and Rob McCallahan were at St. Marys Saturday.

Dr. W. V. Stallard, has arrived and opened his dental parlor in the rooms over McElroy & Shader's grocery.

Personal Notes.

Visitors In and Out of Town.—A Round Up of the Week's Personal News.

—Mrs. Kate Spalding, of Lebanon, is visiting Mrs. Janie Willett.

—Mr. Rod Wharton has returned to Louisville, after a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wharton.

—Miss Elizabeth Reynier, of Lebanon, spent Sunday with Miss Ethel Searcy.

—Messrs. H. M. Moss and Joe Wycoff are in Louisville on business.

—Mrs. W. T. Barnett, of Mackville, is in Louisville.

—Little Joseph Pettus, who has been quite ill for several days, is improving.

—The little son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Riedel has been quite ill for several days.

—Miss Nell Putnam, of Lebanon, spent Monday with Miss Flaget Simms.

—Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Marks and Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Robertson, Jr., were in Lebanon and Bradfordville Sunday.

—Mrs. A. L. Jenkins, of Cincinnati, will arrive Monday for a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Duncan.

—Mr. J. A. Johnston is in Louisville on business.

—Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Wigginton, of Fairfield, spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of Dr. M. W. Hyatt.

—Mr. Chas. Hunter, one of the proprietors and editors of the Marion Falcon, was in town Saturday.

—Miss Kate Mayes was in Louisville Tuesday.

—Mrs. Harry Brown, of Lebanon, spent the latter part of last week with Mrs. C. D. Robertson.

—Rev. R. E. C. Lawson and Mr. H. M. Grundy are in Middlesboro to attend the Presbytery.

—Mr. and Mrs. James Allen, of Bloomfield, spent Sunday with Mrs. Allen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Grundy, of near town.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Logan, of Danville, visited Mrs. J. Y. Mayes last week.

—Mrs. Bettie Graham and daughter, of Martinsville, Ind., have moved to this place and are occupying the Craycroft house on east Main street.

—Mrs. Tate, of Campbellsville, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. R. H. McElroy.

—Mrs. Leo Haydon and children are visiting Mrs. Haydon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Haydon, of Bardstown.

—Mr. Nathan Putnam, of Lebanon, was in town Friday.

—Miss Mary Catherine Lemon, of Louisville, spent from Friday until Monday at the home of Hon. John W. Lewis.

—Miss Lizzie Logsdon is at home from school at St. Catherine to spend Easter.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Clements, of Lebanon, were here Monday.

—Miss Flaget Simms visited at Nazareth last week.

—Miss Mabel Price has returned home, after a two weeks' visit to friends in Bardstown.

—Mrs. Lanham, of Louisville, spent several days the first of the week with her daughter, Mrs. Tom Hardesty.

—Mr. Tom Edelen has returned to Louisville, after a visit to his sisters, Misses Kate and Carrie Edelen.

—Mr. G. E. Medley has returned to Owensboro, after a visit to his family at this place.

—Misses Alice Haydon and Laura Baker spent last week with Miss Catherine Spalding, of near town.

—Rev. P. F. Hennessey and Mr. L. D. Baker were in Bardstown Tuesday on business.

—Mrs. L. N. Gregory is visiting her niece, Mrs. Carlisle Clelland, of Middlesboro.

—Mrs. A. R. Shultz and son, A. R., spent Tuesday with Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Robards, of Harrodsburg.

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Remember my Trimming Department is in Charge of Expert Trimmers.

Miss Willie Knott.

—Miss Fannie McElroy spent Tuesday in Louisville.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. M. O'Nan will celebrate their silver wedding next Saturday. A large number of invitations have been sent to friends.

—Mrs. Mollie Mayes and son, Charles, who have been spending the winter with Mrs. Mayes' daughter, Mrs. Jas. C. Cheschier, of Ft. Scott, Kansas, will return home Saturday.

—Rev. W. H. Williams, Drs. S. J. Smock and J. M. Spaulding and Messrs. G. W. Colvin, Conrad Hertlein and Robert Marks attended the Knights Templar banquet at Lebanon Monday night.

—Mrs. T. C. Campbell entertained at euchre last Friday afternoon. Those present were: Mesdames W. E. Leachman, Harry Thompson, J. C. McElroy, C. A. Green, S. B. Thompson, J. W. Lewis, Margaret Bettis and Miss Hadgie Brown.

CANARY.

Little Miss Janita Pope is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Brack Yates, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Milton visited Mr. Will Sweeney, of Mackville, Sunday.

Miss Sadie Fenwick, of Fenwick, is the guest of Miss Adray Canary this week.

Mr. Lee Hiatt was in Louisville last week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Budd Coffey are with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hiatt this week.

Miss Hattie Logsdon was in Mackville Sunday.

Mrs. W. A. Barker, Mrs. Ollie Young and Miss Lilie Lanham visited Mr. A. Canary and family one day last week.

Mrs. Lee Hiatt was with Mrs. J. W. Logsdon last week.

Mr. Lee Hiatt and family, Mr. Budd Coffey and wife, Mrs. Bettie Hiatt and niece, Maggie Hiatt, were with Mr. W. A. Barker Sunday.

Notice, Notice.

All persons indebted to the estate of J. M. Burton, deceased, please call at the Peoples Deposit Bank and settle their accounts. It is necessary for the estate to be settled immediately. Also all persons holding claims against said estate please present them properly proven.

J. A. BOULWARE,

Executor J. M. Burton, Deceased.

...Announcement...

WOOL! WOOL!! WOOL!!!

The CAMPBELLVILLE MANUFACTURING CO., Of Campbellville, Kentucky,

Having built an entirely new plant now announce that they are ready to Manufacture Wool into such article as any farmer needs, such as

YARNS, LINSEY, JEANS, FLANNEL, BLANKETS, LADIES FLANNEL SKIRTS, ETC., ETC.

Our Motto: "Honest Goods at Reasonable Prices."

Our goods are All WOOL, Full Width and Fast Colors.

See one of our agents who will show you our samples. Get our terms and send us your wool.

C. R. MCWHORTER, Agent, Springfield, Ky.

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G. W. PETERSON, General Manager.

Fruits, Candies, Soft Drinks

I have at all times a fresh line of the best Fruits and Candies that the market affords, at the lowest possible prices, and invite the people to come to see me.

Soft Drinks

Refreshing Soft Drinks of all kinds always on hand.

Leon Allen

INDESTRUCTIBLE RECORDS
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E. M. RUSSELL, Springfield, Ky.

HORSE BREEDERS ATTENTION!

L. D. BAKER OFFERS A FINE LIST OF STALLIONS FOR THE SEASON OF 1908 AT HIS STABLES AT THE FAIR GROUNDS

I desire to express my thanks to the stock breeders of Washington and adjoining counties for their very liberal patronage during the past seasons and invite their attention to my list of stallions this season:

MOKO PEARL

No. 40894.

Record 2:28, trial 2:18. The greatest trotting-bred show stallion. The handsome son of the celebrated Moko. Moko Pearl is a bay stallion 15½ hands, was foaled in 1903 and was bred at Walnut Hall Stock Farm, Lexington, Ky. He is by Moko, by Baron Wilkes, dam Queen Ethel, the dam of three in the list. Moko Pearl is out of Little Pearl 2:21 by Hinder Thomas. Little Pearl's dam is by Isoline. Moko Pearl will make the season at \$20 to insure a living colt and will be limited to thirty mares. The season ends June 1.

The following statement from this horse's former owner tells something of his individual merit: "Moko Pearl has been shown at the Kentucky State Fairs since he was a two-year-old and won practically everything he was shown for in harness and roadster classes. He won for two seasons at Georgetown, Lawrenceburg, Shelbyville and Lexington, defeating all classes. He came to us about the 5th of August, 1907, after a heavy stud season, and with ten days preparation he was second at the Blue Grass Fair in the strongest roadster class seen in Kentucky in years. Peter the Great 2:07 was the winner. These performances should stamp him as a good individual and a good trotting horse. Mr. George Bowerman worked him for speed 24 days in his three-year-old form and drove him in 2:24. When the Freeman trained him lightly (keeping him in show condition all the time) as a four-year-old and drove him in 2:18; in 1:58; in 2:33 seconds. After showing him at the Blue Grass Fair last year we worked him a few miles and gave him a record of 2:28; we believe he is a good trotter and a game horse, this is the opinion of every man who has pulled a line over him. With a seasons work he should trot in 2:12 or better. He has been pronounced by competent judges Moko's handsomest son. He is a clean sound horse, a good legged one, and a very handsome fellow. His peer as a high class stock horse and prospective trotter for the green classes would be hard to find.

RED BIRD

Registered 1956 Vol. V, A. S. H. B. A.

This horse is too well-known to need any introduction to the breeders of Washington and adjoining counties. In the opinion of well posted horse men he is the best breeding saddle horse in the State. He made the season at my stables last year and his fine crop of colts are testimonials to his merit as a breeder. Red Bird will make the season of 1908 at \$20 to insure a living colt and will be limited to 50 mares. Owners desiring to breed to this horse should book their mares early.

BOUNCING CONNAUGHT

No. 15272

Hackney Stallion, 15.3 hands, a beautiful chestnut, sorrel, with three white feet and "snip" nose. This is a remarkably handsome horse, possessing the true hackney style and shape and is a fine actor. This is just the horse to improve the size and stamina of trotting-bred horses. His colts make ideal roadsters and carriage horses. The stud fee for this Hackney horse will be \$20 to insure a living colt.

SUNSHINE

This fine young harness stallion is well-known to the breeders of Washington county and it is unnecessary for me to dwell upon his good qualities. He will make the season at \$15 to insure a living colt.

JOHN SIMMS.—Have traded for this well-known jack. You all know him, for he carries his "rep." with him. Season, \$10 to insure a living mare mule and \$8 to insure a living horse mule. My fine jack Bill Gobel under same conditions.

Parties interested in fine stock are cordially invited to visit my stables at the Fair Grounds and inspect my horses.

L. D. BAKER.

You Don't Need a Town Crier



to emphasize the merits of your business or announce your special sales. A straight story told in a straight way to the readers of this paper will quickly reach the ears of the thoughtful, intelligent buying public, the people who have the money in their pockets, and the people who listen to reason and not noise. Our books, show you a list of the kind of people you appeal to. Call and see them at this office.

W.L. Graham's Stock

Fancy Boy,

(COMBINED STALLION)

Young George,

(DRAFT STALLION)

At \$8.00.

My Jack, "Black Hawk, III"

Is one of the finest animals ever seen in Washington county, and my Jack, BILLIE ROBERTSON, has extra large bone and heavy body. These animals can not be outclassed in this section of the State. It will pay you to come and see them before breeding.

BOTH JACKS WILL STAND AT

\$7.00.

W. L. Graham, Cardwell, Ky.

Jesus Anointed at Bethany

Sunday School Lesson for April 19, 1908
Specially Prepared for This Paper

LESSON TEXT.—John 12:1-11. Memory Verse 1. GOLDEN TEXT.—"We love him because he first loved us."—1 John, 4:19. TIME.—Jesus reached Bethany on Friday, March 31, A. D. 30, six days before the Passover. He rested the next day, Saturday, the Jewish Sabbath, which ended at sunset. The feast was held that evening.

PLACE.—The house of Simon the leper in Bethany, on the Mount of Olives.

Comment and Suggestive Thought.

Put in a single word the subject of our Scripture passage, is "Service"—different ways of serving Christ, and the way Christ prefers. No other passage in the Bible presents these ways so vividly. Therefore it is a passage of great and fundamental importance. Obedience means that "the sisters had often pondered how they could show their gratitude for all Christ had been, and all that he had done for them." Mary showed it by anointing Christ's feet and head (Matt. 26:7) with very precious ointment. "By ointment we are to understand rather a liquid perfume than what we commonly know as ointment."—Schaaf. It was common to anoint the heads of guests, but anointing the feet was a very special honor.

"Nard" is an ingredient from "the head or spike of a fragrant East Indian plant belonging to the genus Valeriana, which yields a juice of delicious odor."—Thayer. This was, literally translated, "plastic nard," the adjective meaning "pure, genuine;" or "drinkable," as some ointments were drunk, mixed with wine; or it may indicate the place whence the nard came.

"A pound (Latin, libra), the unit of weight in the Roman empire, slightly over 11 ounces avoirdupois."—Expos. Greek Test.

The estimate of Judas (v. 5) was 300 denarii, "a day laborer's wage for one year."—Expos. Greek Test. Equal to \$300 or \$600 of our money. Attraction of roses sells for \$1.20 a pound.

It was kept in a cruse or flask of alabaster (Mark), called "an alabaster," just as we call a drinking vessel made of glass a glass. It was a kind of cruet, having a cylindrical form at the top. Flimsy companies these vessels to a closed rosebud."—Prof. Marvin R. Vincent.

The tables were low, sometimes not more than a foot high, and the guests reclined around them, leaning on their elbows, their feet stretched out away from the table. "We recall the ideal picture of Aaron when anointed to the priesthood (Psa. 133:2), to mark here the fulfillment of the type when the great High Priest was anointed for the sacrifice. She who had so often sat at his feet, now anointed them, and alike for love, reverence, and fellowship of his sufferings, will not wipe them but with her hair."—Edersheim. "This simple act proclaimed the self-humiliation of her unbounded love, seeing that the loosening of a woman's hair was a mark of unusual self-abandonment."—Pulpit Commentary.

This deed of Mary became so famous, as Christ prophesied it would (Matt. 26:13), because:

1. It was a beautiful example of that fine virtue, gratitude.

2. It was a beautiful example of the sacrifices gladly made by love.

3. It was a beautiful example of love's courage. Mary was willing to face misunderstandings, sneers, captious criticism, and smiles of ridicule. Her great love brushed these aside like cobwebs. Most service of Christ calls for similar courage, from the first stammering attempt of the young convert to spend for Jesus to the large tasks of the missionary and the reformer. But love for Christ makes it all easy.

4. It was a beautiful fore-glimpse of Christ's great sacrifice. "This deed was the forerunner of Jesus, the figure Christ found in it the very spirit that was leading him so steadily to Calvary. For Jesus, like Mary, lavished everything in saving men."—Rev. G. H. Morrison.

5. It furnished a beautiful illustration of Christ's ready reception of loving service. The disciples chided, but Jesus praised.

6. But, fine as it was, Mary's spiritual devotion to Christ would have been just as fine if it had been accompanied by household ministrations to his needs. "A kinsman of mine was once entertained by a gifted woman, who was so much absorbed in his interesting conversation that she forgot to inspect the spare room in which he slept, and in which he passed the night in exasperating collisions with a silver soup tureen which long before had been concealed from the burglars in his bed; and I confess I agreed with a cynical female critic who observed, on hearing the story, that clever and devout women might sometimes most wisely 'pray and talk less and keep house more.'"—Bishop Potter. Mary may have done both; we are not told.

Practical Points. When Christ asks us to do such work, it becomes at once of supreme importance, and invested with royal dignity.

There is splendid service in faith as well as in works. In love, as well as in active ministering to the loved one.

Those whose special gifts lie in activity and whose minds tend rather to inner devotion, should appreciate one another. "Christian work needs the devout and studious Melancthon, but not less the robust and heroic Luther.

KEEPS WATCH ON CUSTOMERS.

Dog Has Made Himself a Favorite with Drug Store Patrons.

When the drug man goes to his modest lunch in a rear room, the dog lies behind the counter where he can cock his eyes over every part of his domain. If a customer comes in on such fruitless errands as to look in the directory, or to telephone, the dog lies mute as a stuffed monkey. But let him attempt to go away with anything, to put his hand in the candy jar, and he hears a growl which would startle the most daring. When a man makes his way to the prescription counter the dog gives a warning bark for his master, just a snarl, but it could not frighten the most timid. For a time customers were wary of this strange relief clerk, but now Bill has established his reputation for good temper and good ability and for absolute fidelity to his duty, and he gets more good things to eat than his master relishes. He has even added to the popularity of the store, and all the small boys go there to get their candy, to make the dog growl by pretending to steal and then triumphantly producing their nickels, when he gets up and wags his tail and shows his appreciation generally.

MONDAY, APRIL 27, 1908,

the same being county court, upon a writ of six and twelve months, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a stone in the middle of a drain, corner to J. S. Sutton, then S. 54½ W. 12.52 poles to a beech tree, corner to J. R. Davis, thence N. 33.51 W. 94.36 poles to a drain, corner to same, thence 48½ E. 19.56 poles to the middle of May Creek, thence up the creek as it meanders S. 24½ E. 14.6 poles to E. 3.48 poles, S. 15.50 chains to the mouth of a branch, corner to Mrs. Ray. From thence up said branch or drain S. 52½ E. 1.86 chains to the beginning, containing 11 acres, 2 rods and 2 poles; the same being the land which was conveyed to A. P. Leachman, by J. S. Sutton of date the 23rd day of September, 1902, recorded in Deed Book 48, page 583, in the office of the Washington county court.

For the purchase price the purchaser or purchasers, with approved security or sureties, must execute bond bearing legal interest from date of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

M. G. LEACHMAN, M. C. W. C. C.

Commissioner's Sale!

Washington Circuit Court, Ky.

Eliza Sutton, admx., Plaintiff, vs. Alex Sutton, etc., Defendants, Equity.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Washington Circuit Court rendered at the February term, 1908, in the above styled cause, to settle estate, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court House door in Springfield, Ky., on the 27th day of April, 1908, at 2 o'clock, p. m., or thereabout—being County Court day—to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to-wit, or sufficient thereof to produce the sums of money so ordered to be made:

A tract of land near Williamsburg, Ky.: Bounded on the North by John Walls, on East by W. H. Montgomery, on South by Ellis Stott and Harry Shewmon, thence on South by John Walls and W. P. Cheatham, being three small tracts in one body. The 75 acre tract is to be sold subject to the life estate of Mrs. Eliza Sutton.

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Maggie Hayes, etc., Plaintiffs, vs. Jas. L. Moore, etc., Defendants, Equity.

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A tract of land in Washington county, Ky., bounded: Beginning at a point on Long Lock creek corner to Mrs. J. J. Arnold, thence up a small drain 11 poles to a stone corner to them, thence with his line to a stone corner to J. R. Williams, thence with his line to Long Lock creek, thence up same to beginning, containing 28 acres.

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A tract of land on Cartwright's creek, in Washington county, Ky.: Bounded on North by Cartwright's creek, West by Eliza Sutton, on South by Lawrence Fortemir, and on East by Alonzo Young. About 30 acres.

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By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Washington Circuit Court rendered at the February term, 1908, in the above styled cause, for support of defendant, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court House door in Springfield, Ky., on the 27th day of April, 1908, at 2 o'clock, p. m., or thereabout—being County Court day—to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, upon a credit of six and twelve months, the following described property, to-wit, or sufficient thereof to produce the sums of money so ordered to be made:

A tract of land on Cartwright's creek, in Washington county, Ky.: Bounded on North by Cartwright's creek, West by Eliza Sutton, on South by Lawrence Fortemir, and on East by Alonzo Young. About 30 acres.

For the purchase price the purchaser or purchasers, with approved security or sureties, must execute bond bearing legal interest from date of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

M. G. LEACHMAN, M. C. W. C. C.

Commissioner's Sale!

Washington Circuit Court, Ky.

Sarah Settles, Plaintiff, vs. Gracy Settles, etc., Defendants, Equity.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Washington Circuit Court rendered at the February term thereof, 1908, in the above styled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court House door in Springfield, Ky., about the hour of 2 o'clock, p. m., or thereabout on

MONDAY, APRIL 27, 1908,

the same being county court, upon a writ of six and twelve months, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a stone in the middle of a drain, corner to J. S. Sutton, then S. 54½ W. 12.52 poles to a beech tree, corner to J. R. Davis, thence N. 33.51 W. 94.36 poles to a drain, corner to same, thence 48½ E. 19.56 poles to the middle of May Creek, thence up the creek as it meanders S. 24½ E. 14.6 poles to E. 3.48 poles, S. 15.50 chains to the mouth of a branch, corner to Mrs. Ray. From thence up said branch or drain S. 52½ E. 1.86 chains to the beginning, containing 11 acres, 2 rods and 2 poles; the same being the land which was conveyed to A. P. Leachman, by J. S. Sutton of date the 23rd day of September, 1902, recorded in Deed Book 48, page 583, in the office of the Washington county court.

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Washington Circuit Court, Ky.

Eliza Sutton, admx., Plaintiff, vs. Alex Sutton, etc., Defendants, Equity.

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A tract of land near Williamsburg, Ky.: Bounded on the North by John Walls, on East by W. H. Montgomery, on South by Ellis Stott and Harry Shewmon, thence on South by John Walls and W. P. Cheatham, being three small tracts in one body. The 75 acre tract is to be sold subject to the life estate of Mrs. Eliza Sutton.

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QUESTION OF STATE RIGHTS

Does Not Approve of Commonwealths
Being Made Subservient to In-
ferior Federal Courts—Would
Uphold Constitution.

Gov. John A. Johnson of Minnesota delivered at the dedication of the Minnesota monument on Shiloh battlefield, April 10, an address that will rank as one of the ablest public deliverances of recent times. Spoken on a battlefield that may be taken as the symbol of the great war for the union, the governor took occasion to tell of the peril that threatens our federal form of government. This peril was emphasized by the recent decision of the supreme court in the railway cases going up from Minnesota and North Carolina, which practically makes the state governments subservient to the inferior federal courts. The significance of these decisions is widely understood, and they have given rise to a general discussion of the question of the rights of the states, and Gov. Johnson's speech will rank as an important contribution to that discussion. The dedicatory address in part follows:

Representing the people of the commonwealth of Minnesota, we are assembled on one of the historic battlefields of the civil war to pay our tribute of respect and affection to the memory of the sons of Minnesota who here yielded up their lives that this might continue to be a united nation. Their sacrifice was not for personal gain, but was in response to duty, and a contribution to the civilization of the age, and for the purpose of perpetuating the institution of human liberty.

I appreciate that nothing which I can say will add to or detract from the glory of their achievement, which in itself is an enduring monument to the patriotism and heroism of the American soldier. Their sacrifice, however, was not different from that which has been made throughout all of the ages by those lovers of liberty who believe in a government which might give to all the people the right to life, liberty and property. The love of liberty was not born in this country of ours; it was cradled along the Danube and about the shores of the Baltic, even when Rome had reached the limit of her imperial grandeur. Increasing in intensity with the passing of the centuries, it found its highest expression in the older countries in the great English charter of civil rights, which forever guaranteed to the people of that land immunity from the despotism of those who claimed to rule by virtue of Divine right.

One hundred and thirty-two years ago the great contest of humanity was transferred from the old world to the new, and here, because of the isolation of this country, because of the high character of the man who espoused the cause of liberty, and because of the signal victory achieved by them in that struggle, an opportunity was afforded to crystallize into written law the aspirations of the patriots of all the ages. The men who built the foundations of this republic were those who had submitted to the supreme test of patriotism, for those who inspired the constitution of the United States were the same who had pledged their lives, their properties and their sacred honor to the cause of independence.

While the primary object of a written constitution is to define governmental powers, and to limit governmental departments, the overwhelming necessity for such an instrument is to prevent invidious encroachments upon the rights of the individual citizen, both from those in office and from those who by reason of their wealth and power have an influence far greater than that possessed by the average citizen. And so the constitution of the United States was regarded by its framers as an instrument of the most sacred import, an alteration of which could only be made by the people themselves in whom all ultimate power is vested, and then only after the fullest discussion and widest publicity.

Under the beneficent government so established the nation has prospered and the people are happy. One great cloud came upon the nation in the form of an awful civil war, in which two sections of the country were in conflict with each other. The heroes who reared here gave their lives that this nation might be maintained as it came from our forefathers. On another battlefield of that war, Abraham Lincoln said: "It is for us, the living, rather, to be dedicated to the unfinished work they have thus far so nobly carried on. It is rather for us to be here dedicated to the great task remaining before us; that from these honored dead we take increased devotion for that cause for which they gave the last full measure of devotion; that we highly resolve that these dead shall not have died in vain; that the nation shall, under God, have a new birth of freedom, and that the government of the people, by the people, for the people, shall not perish from the earth."

Our concern is not of the past, nor wholly of the present, but much with the future. If the destiny of the republic is in the hands of the American of to-day, then it becomes him to be guided and governed only by patriotic impulse and the desire to do that which will most largely contribute to

the permanency of republican institutions. Advancing our civilization so that we will not, by recognizing the false claims of selfish interests, and forgetting the American maxim that our object should be to attain the greatest good for the greatest number, incur the penalty which other people have paid, rather let us hold ever in mind that those who framed our government believed in the equality of the people and that the chief aim of government is to maintain that equality.

Under our system of government the nation has reached a material development hitherto unknown. The people have prospered beyond the dreams of those who lived a century ago. But with the development of the country and changes in economic conditions, and particularly with the growth of great private corporations, performing many of the functions of government, has come the necessity for the exercise of strict governmental control, and a rigid enforcement of all the laws enacted to restrain the rich and powerful from encroaching upon the natural and legal rights of the poor and weak.

The constitution of the ancient republic of Rome, which for 500 years had recognized the voice of the people as supreme, was expanded by executive interpretation and contracted by positive administration, until Rome had no completely outgrown its democratic conditions as to become only a tragedy and a tradition. Let us improve the aid of him on high to preserve us from the errors which ruined Rome, by the avoidance of such America may travel on to that destiny and realize that fulfillment which will be the inspiration of right-thinking men of all ages yet to come.

Our government is divided into three separate and distinct co-ordinate branches: the legislative, executive and the judicial. Danger will surely come to this republic when any of these departments of government attempt in the slightest degree to usurp the functions of the other. And while now and then it may be that a court of the land, in construing the constitution, may nullify a section of it, I have the faith to feel that the people of the country will rise above the fallibility of judicial tribunals and assert and preserve their own rights. Our duty is not to criticize the executive, the legislature or the judiciary.

Very recently there has come from the highest judicial tribunal in the land a decision of vital interest and concern to the American people, because it has established a principle, as stated by one member of the court, which "would work a radical change in our governmental system and would inaugurate a new era in the American judicial system and in the relations of the national and state governments. It would enable the subordinate federal courts to supervise and control the official action of the states as though they were dependencies or provinces. It would place the states of the union in a condition of inferiority never dreamed of when the constitution was adopted or when the eleventh amendment was made a part of the supreme law of the land." If this is the result of this decision, it is, to my mind, one of the unhappy incidents in the history of our republic, because the very theory of our government is based upon the right of the states to conduct absolutely their own domestic affairs.

If, then, our whole system of government is changed, have we not retarded the progress of the republic, but have we not gone back a century toward a centralized form of government which is not to the advantage of the people? What this government needs is not more power. What it needs to-day is, to so distribute the privileges under the government that all citizens will have equal opportunity. America has been called the land of opportunity. But American opportunity should not mean a granting of special privileges to any class, but should afford all alike the means for culture, education, prosperity and contentment.

For nearly a century and a half America has presented to the world the spectacle of a happy, prosperous and intelligent people, maintaining a pure democracy founded upon their supreme will. The hallmark of a democracy is that the powers of government are close to the people. Throughout the world, wherever democracy is advancing, its progress is marked by a greater measure of self-government to each community. Will the American people turn to the setting rather than the rising sun? Shall we now, because some laws are found irksome by a class and interfere with their selfish aims, commence to deprive our governing states of that measure of home rule which until now they have seen fit to reserve to themselves? I cannot believe it. Upon the contrary I believe that the limitations upon state and federal governments, the balancing of the powers of each, and of the different departments in each, which have been so efficacious in the past, will be maintained in their full vigor in the future.

Therefore, discharging all of our responsibilities as citizens of a country, refusing to surrender our rights of citizenship in any degree, let us so live that the herodism exemplified on this and other American battlefields may not be simply a tradition, and the nation the unwelcome of our forefathers a mere legend, but that through us and those to come America will reach her full destiny in the permanent establishment of a perfect union, which shall be not for to-day nor for tomorrow, but forever, and be established that it will be for all of the people, and that their government shall not perish.

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Proctor Knott for Delegate.

Lebanon Enterprise: John D. Wakefield, the well known writer of Kentucky political gossip, in his letter to the Cincinnati Enquirer a few days ago had the following which will be read with interest:

Democrats of Marion county propose to pay a compliment to former Governor J. Proctor Knott, of Lebanon, by proposing his name in the Democratic State Convention for delegate from the state at large to the Denver convention. Governor Knott, although in feeble health, is still a familiar figure on the streets of Lebanon, and takes a keen and lively interest in public affairs. His friends say he is anxious to see the Democrats redeem themselves, and wants to live to see Democracy triumphant in the state and nation.

Stock Sales.

Lebanon Enterprise: Robert Flanagan sold to Pemberton Brothers, Elizabethtown, one harness horse, for \$140, and bought of J. F. Raney, Washington county, one saddle horse for \$180.

Sam C. Mackin sold one gaited horse to Joe S. Wymond, of Aurora, Indiana, for \$300, and to Pemberton Brothers one harness horse for \$210.

Henry Gartin bought of George Gartin, one pair of horse mules, 6 years old, 16 hands high, for \$320.

J. E. May sold to Bobbitt & Litsey, of Washington county, 500 bushels of corn at the crib at 60 cents per bushel.

Auctioneer Campbell, of Springfield, on county court day made the following sales: 20 head of cattle, weight about 550 lbs., at \$24.50 per head; 20 head of cattle, weight about 700 lbs., \$29.50 per head; one Jersey cow, \$44.50; one old mare, \$31; one yearling colt, \$60; 1 plug mare, \$6.50; 1 plug mare, \$35; 1 small jack, \$75; 1 mare, \$75; one pony, \$49.

Auctioneer Wayne reports the sale of 1 horse at \$106; 1 horse \$104; 1 plug horse \$37.40.

O'Daniel, Peterson, O'Daniel, Young & Co., sold old B. S. Mattingly 200 head of cattle at \$6.10 per cwt. These cattle are on sale at the Loretto distilleries and are to be delivered May 1.

BOOKER.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Pile were in Springfield Tuesday on business.

Master Theo. Bobbitt and little Miss Catherine Pile spent Tuesday with their cousin, Master Harry Bobbitt, at Mr. Emmet Settle's.

Mrs. Lou Settle, wife of Mr. Joe Settle, who has been confined to her bed with inflammatory rheumatism for the past three or four weeks, is some better at this writing.

Mrs. Mary Bell Pile and little daughter, Catherine, and Miss Lilly Pile visited Mrs. Joe Groatley, at Mt. Zion, last Thursday evening.

Mr. Louis Kirsch, Jr., is in Louisville this week with Mr. B. F. Settle, of Maud.

Mrs. Ben Pile and daughter, Miss Lillie, spent last Tuesday with Mrs. Alvin Ryle, of Stringtown.

Messrs. Eddy Ryle and Walter Oldham, of Nelson county, spent Sunday evening at the home of Mrs. Josie Settle.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mudd and little daughter were in Mooresville Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Pile and little daughter spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Groatley, at Mt. Zion, and were accompanied home Sunday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Groatley.

Mr. Emmet Settle sold a milk cow and some steers to Mr. Howard Tatum, of Valley Hill.

Mr. Otis Settle attended the lodge at Maud Saturday night.

Mrs. Nancy Pile and daughter, Miss Lillie, attended church at Camp ground Sunday and were accompanied home by Mr. Alvin Ryle and wife, of Stringtown, Nelson county.

SYCAMORE VALLEY.

The farmers are very much behind with their work on account of so much rain.

Lee Settle bought a cow from James Coulter for \$35.

J. D. Sutherland sold an aged mare to Albert Hines for \$75.

We are glad to say J. T. Prather is recovering from a severe attack of pneumonia.

Tom Settle is quite ill at this writing with pneumonia.

Robert McElroy is recovering from an attack of pneumonia.

Will Bowles bought a cow from Rome Colvin for \$37.50.

The fall school at this place will be taught by Miss Ethel Rogers.

T. W. Sutherland has returned home, after a week's visit at Buffalo, Ky.

Little Miss Margie Gruffy, of Fairview, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Shields.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. McElroy were in Willsburg Friday afternoon.

Mrs. J. D. Sutherland spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. B. P. Prather.

Mr. Sam Settle and son, Frank, of Lebanon, visited his brother, J. H. Settle, Saturday night and Sunday.

The people of this community are in-

vised to be present at Hillsboro church next Sunday evening and organize a Sunday school at that place. Let every one come out and let's see what can be done, for we are in great need of a Sunday school at this place.

West Bailey visited his parents at Texas Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Clark entertained quite a number Sunday at their graphophone. All present report quite an enjoyable time.

WHITE HALL.

G. D. Shewmaker sold a bunch of hogs to Walter Shewmaker at 44 cents. Lawrence Walker sold a cow to Dan Yancey last week, price unknown.

Jennie Johnson, of Harrodsburg, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. T. Bottoms. G. L. Warner and wife spent Sunday with E. W. Steele and family.

Mrs. Ellen Busby is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Sue Turner, who is very sick.

Mr. L. H. Walker and wife spent Sunday with Jerome Wells.

Little Evan J. Burton spent Monday night with his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Husby.

We are glad to report Mrs. Mealie Ruby, who has been very low with pneumonia, much improved.

Mr. John Ruby, after spending a week with his mother, has returned to his home in Indiana.

Mrs. Gillie Cooksey is spending the week with her mother, Mrs. Jim Devine, who is very ill at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Warner spent Monday with their daughter, Mrs. John Sharp, of Mackville.

Quite a number from this vicinity attended church at Willsburg Sunday.

HARDESTY.

Mrs. Bure and Mrs. Newton, of Lebanon, are visiting Mrs. Bure's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Hardesty.

Mr. Tom Snider and wife, of Chaplin, spent Monday last with Mrs. Snider's mother at this place.

Mrs. S. Y. Goodlett and daughters, Veleria and Ola, visited her mother, Mrs. Wells, of Antioch, several days last week.

Mr. Henry Royalty was in our midst one evening last week.

Mr. Oph. Grader bought of Mr. J. R. Gray one cow and calf. Price \$37.50.

Mrs. Andrew Wilkerson and daughter, Elizabeth, were guests of Mrs. T. J. Trent last Tuesday.

Mrs. C. P. Groatley, of Valley Hill, was in this vicinity one evening last week.

Mr. Russell Hardin spent Sunday with Mr. Herbert Hardesty.

Mrs. Jessie Sales, of Hillsboro, spent Monday with her sister, Mrs. Mitchell.

Mr. John Nicks sold to Mr. Tom Reed one sow and pigs. Price \$15.

Mr. W. P. Montgomery bought of Mr. J. M. Sales one milch cow. Price \$35.

Several from here attended church at Willsburg Sunday.

SPARROW.

Farm work of all kinds is somewhat delayed on account of wet weather.

Fears are entertained that most of the fruit is killed or greatly damaged.

Wheat, rye and grass of all kinds are very prosperous.

Guy Dawson, of Bloomfield, bought of J. C. Stewart six hogs at \$4.50 per head. Also of W. C. Cammack three hogs for \$11.00.

J. W. Romine bought of Owen Crossfield six sheep for \$34. Also of W. C. Cammack one sheep for \$3.

The contents of the store of W. R. Moore will be sold April 15 at public auction.

Mrs. Allie Barnett and daughter, Miss Jappa, spent from Saturday until Monday with the former's daughter at Leathers Store.

J. O. Webb and wife spent last Tuesday night with Dr. W. T. Barnett and wife at Mackville.

Rev. J. A. Harding, principal of the Potter Bible College, of Bowling Green, will preach at old Fair Mount the third Sunday in May. All are cordially invited to attend.

The superintendent of public schools has condemned the school house at this place, so we have to build a new school house before we have any school taught.

Many farmers in this vicinity have about decided not to grow any tobacco in 1908.

We trust that the tobacco question may soon be settled, right riders stopped, peace and confidence restored, and let law and order reign supreme throughout the State.

HAPPY HOLLOW.

Mr. E. L. Pariah and family spent Sunday with Mr. Solomon Kays and family at this place.

Mr. J. M. Shields and family and Mrs. John Armstrong dined Sunday with Mr. M. C. Keeling and family at this place.

Miss Gilbert Chessor, of Polin, spent Saturday and Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Solomon Kays.

Miss Effie Coulter spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Mollie Shields, at this place.

Mr. Richard Hardin and family, of

Scruggsville, spent Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. Tom Coulter.

Mr. John Armstrong and daughter, Miss Myrtle, attended meeting at Tatham Springs Sunday and dined at the home of Mr. John Perkins.

Mrs. Solomon Kays and two children have returned home, after a week's visit to her father, Mr. H. P. Chessor, at Polin.

Miss Sarah Shields spent Sunday night with Mrs. J. S. Thomas.

Mr. Sam Settle spent Saturday and Sunday with his brother, Mr. J. H. Settle, of near here.

Miss Sarah Shields spent Thursday night with Misses Pearl and Myrtle Armstrong.

Mr. Sam Settle, of Marion county, while visiting at this place Saturday and Sunday had his horse to get hung in a wire fence and seriously hurt.

Miss Mollie Shields spent Sunday night with Miss Effie Coulter, of near here.

Mr. T. W. Sutherland has returned home, after a week's stay with his son, Mr. Ezra Sutherland and wife, at Buffalo.

Mr. Tom Settle is very sick with pneumonia.

Misses Pearl Armstrong and Claude Royalty, of Springfield, spent from Saturday until Monday with their uncle, Mr. J. W. Walls and family, of Brooksville.

Hallie Keeling is on the sick list this week.

We Are Responsible For Crime.

"To the trained observer of life it is obvious that criminals are not on the whole to blame for their vicious careers."

"For twenty-five years, as a police reporter in New York, I saw all the wickedness of depraved human nature," says Jacob Riis in the May delineator. "I saw a seemingly unending succession of young rascals--so the police had stamped them and the record on the station-house blotter bore them out--going from the slums through the wicket-gate of the Tombs to the prison and to the gallows, and it was a sight to discourage any one whose horizon was limited by our earth-life. The chill of it abides with me yet. But behind it all I made out also what it was that had depraved their poor human nature, and that the responsibility lay with us who let it be, whose neglect of the neighbor it had fallen among thieves was to blame for it all. The world is no worse than we make it. We also can make it good."

A GIRL'S WAY.



Horace--I like to take a girl to a game of football.

Harold--Why?

Horace--She doesn't know a thing about the game, but she always jumps up and down and squeals.

Big Voice.

"Tis, Missus Maloney," remarked Mrs. afforty, "me husband was elected president of th' Janitors' union be a sweepin' majority."--Toledo Blade.

"Eggs."

For Sale!

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White Plymouth Rocks

Fischel strains--The Best Breed in the World--male birds scored by Judge Lane, from 924 to 937 points.

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Springfield, Ky.

Being Original



wrong articles by mistake.

"For instance, that little break of mauling pink baby booties to our esteemed bachelor uncle," John assisted.

"Yes," agreed his wife, hastily. That particular blunder was still a sore point. The uncle was a rather important personage, potentially, if not actually. "But more than that, John, it's the foolish selections you make when you are hurried. You don't have a chance to show any originality."

Mrs. Briggs, who talked beautifully at the club Wednesday, showed us that it was a positive insult to our friends to give them things picked up in a hurry at the last minute."

"What's all this got to do with your day?" prompted her husband, selecting a third hot biscuit from the plate at his elbow.

"Why, everything," said Mrs. Steebly, lucidly.

"Please explain," insisted Steebly. "Well," said his wife, "after listening to Mrs. Briggs I made up my mind to be as original as I possibly could be in every single case. So I caught the 9:15 train this morning and simply put in the day downtown, looking for things."

Steebly groaned. "Were you part of that throng of women which tramped up and down the streets all afternoon?" he snapped.

"Why, John! Of course I spent part of my time there, but nearly all day I just looked at things in the shops. I think it's the only way to get ideas--just look and look until you happen to think of what you want."

"Oh, so that's the idea, is it?" inquired Steebly, with a noticeable lack of sympathy. "I'm glad to get a line at last on the processes of the female mind."

"Of course it is," Mrs. Steebly assured him. "I don't know how many counters I've stood at to-day. Everything is terribly crowded. But I always managed to get attention, one way or another."

"How's that? What do you mean?" demanded her spouse, suspiciously, but Mrs. Steebly hurried on without noticing the interruption.

"It was an awfully hard day, John. You men have no notion what a drain this Christmas shopping is. Especially when you insist upon being original. By one o'clock I was completely fagged out. I happened to run across Mrs. Peters just then and we went up to the luncheon and had a cup of tea. I wasn't going to eat anything and she thought at first she would just have a glass of milk, but everything looked so good that we ended by ordering a chafing-dish lobster and some salad and coffee and ices. After that we both felt rested."

"If," remarked Steebly to his coffee cup. "It takes these delicate little women to put it all over a coal-heaver when it comes to appetite!"

"But it is such a satisfaction to know that you have accomplished a job and that your wife, dreamily, 'I don't mind being all tired out and missing five calls and jarring my lace waist in a basement bargain department. I feel very grateful to Mrs. Briggs for putting it into my head to be really original this Christmas.'"

"What do you get?" inquired Steebly, with his first real appearance of interest. He placed his napkin on the table and sat back in his chair, much soothed in spirit by an excellent dinner, and prepared to listen to a long catalogue of novel and striking purchases.

"I got--" began Mrs. Steebly, impressively, and paused. "I got," she went on after a moment, checking off the items on the fingers of her left hand, "six monogram and kerchiefs for Ned, a game for Willie and calendar for Sue, a box of notepaper for each of Cousin Harry's children, a book for your sister, a necktie for each of your brothers, and for you--a big, lovely box of cigars!"

For moment Steebly remained staring at his wife. Then he burst into a roar of laughter.

"Original!" he gasped, between paroxysms. Finally he quieted down and wiped his eyes. "Let's sample that box now, Mrs. Steebly," he suggested.--Chicago Daily News.

Was Original "Thunderer."

The original "Thunderer" of Printing House square was not, as many people suppose, a Hamburg rooster, itself, but one of its writers, Capt. Edward Sterling, who, after being called to the bar and serving as a volunteer during the Irish rebellion, finished a versatile career on the staff of the Times.

Capt. Sterling was a well-known figure in London political circles and was father of the most famous John Sterling, critic, essayist and friend of Wordsworth, Coleridge and De Quincey.

1908 SEASON

FLOATER NO. 8315

Standard and registered under rule 6, vol. 6, Wallace's Stud Book. By Florida 482, he by Hambletonian 10, out of Volunteer Maid, by Volunteer 55, a son of Hambletonian 10.

1st dam Mary, by Star Almont 6673, a full brother to Almont, Jr., 1829, Allie Gains 2380 and Feldmont 5050, all of them producers. Dam of Star Almont was by Black Hawk, 5; by Sherman Morgan, a son of Justin Morgan, the founder of the great Morgan family. Star Almont was by Almont 33, he by Abdallah 15, dam by Membrino Chief 11; 2nd dam by Pilot Jr., 12.

2nd dam of Floater was by Peck's Idol 177, he by Membrino Chief 11, and out of a thoroughbred mare, by American Eclipse, 3rd dam a thoroughbred mare by Sir Archy, 4, 5 and 6 dams thoroughbreds.

Floater is a handsome bay, 16 hands high, good disposition and a sure foot getter of large handsome colts and very promising ones. His oldest colts in this county are just two years old, but they are fine style and action and good doers.



STONEWALL

A Black Gov. Wood Jack has proved himself by his colts in 1906. Fifteen of his mules sold for an average of \$96.50 per head, and in 1907 ten of them brought their owners \$1,000. These are facts, not hot-air statements. He gets more high-price mules than any jack in the county.

TERMS.--Floater \$12 to insure a living colt. Stonewall, \$8 for horse and \$10 for mare mule.

Mares traded or parted with or bred elsewhere (without permission) forfeit insurance, and money due at once. A lien retained on all colts until service fees are paid. Care taken to prevent accidents but I will not be responsible should any occur.

I wish to thank the public for their former patronage and solicit a continuance of same.

J. E. SHELBY

SUBSCRIBERS FREE COLUMN.

Mrs. B. L. Litsey has for sale Buff Orpington eggs, 15 for \$1.00.

J. E. Stevenson, Mooresville, has for sale a nice young cow. Fresh.

Mrs. S. B. Thompson, Jr., Rt. 3, has for sale the Big White Pekin duck eggs. 15 for 75c.

L. W. Campbell, near town, has for sale six work horses, and one work mule. Call at Campbell's furniture store.

Mrs. B. D. Lake, Springfield, has for sale pure bred Buff Orpington eggs. 15 for 50c. Phone 75.

S. E. Shewmaker, Rt. 3, has for sale a good family mare, safe for a child to drive. Also a good milk cow.

Mrs. J. I. Martin, Rt. 1, has for sale single comb Rhode Island Red eggs. From pen, \$1 and 25c for 15. From yard, 35c for 15.

Mrs. S. G. Tucker, Rt. 1, has for sale Rhode Island Red eggs. 50c for 15.

Mrs. R. B. Cregor, Lebanon, Rt. 3, has for sale S. C. Rhode Island Red eggs for hatching at 75c for 15. Also Barred P. Rock eggs at 40c for 15.

David Cuttenger, Willsburg, Ky., has for sale 300 good locust post at 15 and 20c a piece.

Mrs. Lizzie Bosley, Lebanon, Rt. 3, has for sale Pure Bred Single Comb Brown Leghorn and Barred Plymouth Rock eggs. 50c for 15. From pen.

Grundy Home, Rt. 2, has for sale Light Brahma eggs. 13 for 50c.

NOTICE.--If you are going to raise chickens raise the laying stock. Single Comb Brown Leghorn eggs for sale. Price reasonable. Mrs. C. C. Christie, Lebanon, Ky., Rt. 3.

R. A. Thompson, Rt. 2, has for sale Buff Wyandotte eggs, 30c for 15.

Mrs. Palmer Groatley has for sale Barred Plymouth Rock eggs.

H. S. Litsey, Rt. 4, has for sale two Jacks--two year-olds put. Extra good ones. Will sell them at low figures.

Mrs. T. K. Smith, Springfield, has for sale white Leghorn eggs, 15 for 50c.

Mrs. L. N. Reed, R. F. D. 3, has for sale S. C. B. Leghorn stock. \$1.00 for 15 or \$1.50 for 30.

Albert Hines, Rt. 3, has for sale a nice sow and nine pigs. Also six shoats which will weigh about 85 pounds.

Mrs. John S. McElroy, Springfield, has for sale Black Minorca eggs. 50c for setting of 15.

Mrs. L. E. Ross, Rt. 1, has for sale White Pekin duck eggs at 50c for 12. Also two Pit Game roosters at 75c apiece.

C. N. Willett, Rt. 2, has for sale S. C. Hamburg eggs. 13 for 50c, 30 for \$1.00.

Mrs. E. S. Clements, Rt. 1, has for sale guinea eggs. Send orders and eggs will be saved at 50c per setting of 15 eggs.

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HOFFMAN DARE!



Sired by Dignity Dare, No. 1982.
"Chester Dare, No. 10."
"Black Squirrel, No. 68."
"Black Eagle, No. 14."
"King William, No. 67."

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2nd dam Raven, by Anderson Bell, No. 19905. Record 2:20.
3rd dam Membrino Princess, dam of Bay Bird, 2:30.

DESCRIPTION.--Black, 16 hands high, 7-years-old, with plenty of style and action, as fine a natural tail as any horse, and comes from a family on both sides that have a noted record.

HOFFMAN DARE will make the season of 1908 at Castletown Stock Farm, three miles from Springfield on Lebanon pike, for the sum of

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Now is the time of year to feed your fowls a good tonic. R4-11-44 cures Cholera, Roup, Gapes and Limberneck.